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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANCE

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-compliance of May 12, 2006, the entire section "AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS" is resubmitted herewith.